## Kilgore Memorial Library Director's Report Prepared for the August 15, 2019 York City Council meeting

- 1. The Elmer Baker display case is filled with a collection of Woodstock Memorabilia from the collection of Sue Curran. The Kent Bedient Gallery will soon have a display of YorkFest memories put together by Todd Kirshenbaum.
- StoryWalk 2019 books are selected and being prepared to be delivered on the trail each month through the year. The July/August book is My Friend Maggie by Hannah Harrison.
- 3. All of our summer events including Tuesday Movie Mania and Gaming for Teens have ended. Both events were well attended all summer long.
- 4. We celebrated with our New Chapter Book Club participants after they finished their first book. A celebration including a certificate with the name in calligraphy by Sue Curran and picture was held on July 24.
- 5. James Tidei has completed his coursework to be a certified library staff member. Continuing education hours will be required to keep this status current. We are required to have three certified staff along with a Director with a Master's Degree in Library Science for points in the accreditation process.
- 6. Kilgore Memorial Library was a host site for the YPS community service event. Four YPS staff worked to label titles in the Juvenile chapter book collection with Accelerated Reader levels. This will help student know if the book they are looking at is at their reading level. It will also help parents know if the book is written at an appropriate reading level for their child.
- 7. The Friends of the Library are running a mini used book sale outside on the library terrace during the Farmer's Market hours. This has proved to be a great fund raiser for the group. Additional non-profits have also joining the Friends to promote their activities and raise funds.

Respectfully submitted by,

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